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By Cora Lapham Hazard

We may not lift our brother's load for him, perhaps, For life so heavily on us hath also pressed, And filled our hands so full. If he be strong of limb, That he should bear it to the end it may be best.

But we may keep within the heart the living thought That we with him in sweet humanity are one; And need, deep need, hath he, that we should voice "God-speed"

The while he fares through winter's stress and summer's sun.

Man hath not learned his birthright that would mark him King; The precious gift divine was breathed by Him for all; Yet doth he fetter it and prison it with clay: A giant he, and yet how weak and small!

Though we would judge no need hath he of our "God-speed," Though he with feather-load doth pass with smiling lip, We cannot render judgment of a feather's weight— And feathers often hold a barbed and poisoned tip.

E'en our well wishes may prove wings to feebleness:

No human one so strong but that he hath of them a need.

What strength could win the heights were there no kindly ones

All cheerily to wish him well and voice "God-speed"?

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He must get a good salary."

"Twelve thousand a year.

After going through the various deson's office. While they were gone that young man had gone rapidly through his mail, answered three telephone calls, sent four telegrams and made an engagement to play golf Saturday (Good-morning, sir." gagement to play golf Saturday after-noon. As they came in he called a boy.

'Is Mr. Leighton in?"

"Yes, sir.

what do you think of our business?
"It is wonderful."

"Now I want to take you in to see Mr.

with oil paintings on the wall and a

general air of luxury about it.

A tall soldierly man rose as they entered. "Ah, Gilbert, good-morning."

me to introduce you to Miss Bronson."
"Miss Bronson, I am pleased to meet Mr. Patterson has told me about plied, "is the American way, he added significantly. "What do plays golf he plays it for all the state of the significant of the sign you. Mr. Patterson has told you," he added significantly. "W you think of our business?" "It is splendid—wonderful."

"Did you know that your father was

been here only three years, but he has one of the stockholders in our company?" completely revolutionized the business."

"I did not know it until papa told "I did not know it until papa told me last night."

The bell rang.

"Come in," said Leighton

just asking your daughter if she knew you were one of our stockholders, but did not tell her that during the past "Very well. I have an appointment two years your stock had almost doubled with him in five minutes. Miss Margaret, in value." He put his hand on Gilbert in value." He put his hand on Gilbert Patterson's shoulder. "All due to this young man," he said. "We were getting into a rut, when he stepped in and put some new blood into us.

Leighton. I have told him about you." some new blood into us."

They went up-stairs in the elevator to a light airy room done in light mahogany, you know what I asked him a week ago?" you know what I asked him a week ago?"

No. sir. What was your question?"

I said to him: 'Young man, how "I said to him: 'Young man, how is it that a chap like you can play golf and tennis so well, swim so well—" he "Good-morning, Mr. Leighton. Permit winked at Leighton—"make love so well,

and find time to do anything else?"

Leighton smiled. "That sir," he replied. "is the American way. When he plays golf he plays it for all he's worth, when he puts his mind on business he does it for all he's worth, and unless I'm very much in error, sir, when he makes love he makes it for all he's worth. Eh, Gilbert?

MARK TWAIN AND HIS CHUM

MARK TWAIN and the late Rev. Thomas IVI K. Beecher of Elmira, New-York, were great chums. For years Mark made his summer home at Elmira, and when the two were together they were like a pair of boys just out of school

One day Mark said: "Tom, I've just been One day Mark said:

Tom. Tee list occur

reading that interesting book Genesis, and I'm

impressed with the thought that we moderns

are not giving Adam, one of the greatest men in history, a square deal. Here we go erecting statues and monuments to generals and poets and statesmen, and actually forget all about our first ancestor. It's not right. Why shouldn't there be a statue of Adam some-

shouldn't there be a statue of Adam some-where erected by his grateful descendants?"
"There certainly ought to be, Mark," re-plied Mr. Beecher, "but nobody knows what Adam looked like."
"Well," drawled Mark, "he'd probably look as much like his statue as the average victim does. I vote we see to it that Adam gets his rights."
The two set to work

The two set to work raising a fund for a The two set to work raising a tund for a statue to Adam. A citizen of Elmira still living subscribed five thousand dollars; but that was as far as the project got, for other interests pushed it aside and it is now only an amusing recollection.



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